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II. REMARKS

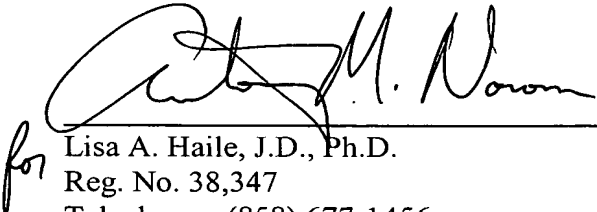
The application filed herewith is a 35 USC § 371 National Stage application of PCT Application No. PCT/EP2004/006439 filed June 15, 2004. Upon entry of the present amendment, claims 1 to 51 will be pending.

The amendment to the specification amends the application title and updates the priority information, which therefore does not add new matter. The amendment to claims changes multiple dependent claims to singular dependent claims or changes the claims to ensure consistency of the claim format of the claims presented. There is one new claim, claim 51, which is derived from original claim 29. Accordingly, entry of the amendments is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative if there are any questions relating to this application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-1896.

Respectfully submitted,

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